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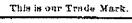
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FLYING FROM DANGER

Great Exodus From Jackson One Result of the Fever Scare.

REPORT ON THE EDWARDS CASES.

Quarantines Against New Orleans Are Putting the Treasury Department to Inconvenience In Getting Coin

From the Mint at That Place. JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 16.—The state capital is depopulated, its business houses closed and its newspapers suspended. Seven cases of yellow fever are officially announced at its very doors, with many suspected cases at various points. An embargo has been placed on the railroads of the state, and there are grave apprehensions that the dread disease has obtained a foothold

in numerous parts of the state.

The worst fears of the medical fraternity and the public have been realized, and the prevailing disease at Edwards has been pronounced yellow fever. The state board of health has laid a general embargo on travel, except out of state, by means of an order promulgated yesterday afternoon and addressed to all lines of transportation. Travel from infected places is absolutely barred. The bright side of the situation is that the disease is of a very mild type. The exodus from this city, which began in a small way several days ago, has attained unprecedented proportions. The state board advises ail who can to leave, and the railroads say they can handle the largest crowds. The most rigid local quarantine prevails

Dr. Guiteras reached Edwards at 4:30 a. m. yesterday and after investigation sent the following message to the state

"I arrived this morning. Have visited a number of cases, and the following are pronounced yellow fever: W. A. Montgomery, Patrick Montgomery, Miss Anna Henry, H. W. Barrett, E. F. Suttle and Miss Mamie Austin, three miles out in the country: Mrs. Champion. Champion Hill."

The following is Dr. Guiteras' report to Surgeon General Wyman:

"The diagnosis of yellow fever made in six cases by Dr. Purnell is confirmed. He has two other cases that I have not yet seen. There are many children sick with what is probably a mild type of the disease. The cases are not confined to one locality, but are all traceable to the Anderson case, which came from Ocean Springs. The medium of distribution appears to have been the Champion case. Mr. Champion, who died, was a prominent man, and many people congregated in the house during his illness. Dr. Purnell is immune and I recommend him as competent to take charge of the situation if necessary. I shall leave for Mobile unless otherwise

Treasury Put to Trouble.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—The treasury department has already experienced some difficulty in making shipments of coin and currency from the United States subtreasury and the mint at New Orleans in consequence of yellow fever quarantines against that city. No particular inconvenience would result but for the fact that between \$500 .-600 and \$600 000 in subsidiary silver recently has been coined at that mint, which is now needed elsewhere. There are also about \$16,000,000 in silver doliars in the mint, which may be tied up. If the embargo is materially extended within the next few days or is even maintained as at present, the mint at Philadelphia will be temporarily run on double time to meet the present demand.

A telegram was received by the surgeon general of the Manne Hospital service from Dr. Carter, dated at Fontainebleau, saying that he had appointed guards for the towns of Perkinston and Berkley. He spoke of the stoppage of trains on the Shir Island and Gulf railroad by order of the state authorities and suggested that the same results might be accomplished by a train inspection service.

In view of the report the surgeon general ordered Surgeon Murray to give special attention to the Perkinston case.

Chicago Will Not Quarantine-

CHICAGO, Sept. 16.-No quarantine will be declared in Chicago against the fever infected districts of the south. This was decided upon by a meeting of the board of health yesterday. It was announced that the yellow fever districts will be received in Chicago without question, it being agreed that the climatic conditions prevailing in Chicago perclude the possibility of any danger from that source.

Refugees Fly to Atlanta.

ATLANTA, Sept. 16.-Yellow fever refugees poured into the city yesterday. During the day three special cars of refugees came in from New Orleans and other infected points. One car was filled with the troops from Jackson barracks in New Orleans. They stopped here but a few minutes and then passed on through to Chickamauga National park, where they will camp.

Convicts Revolt In Montreal.

MONTREAL, Sept. 16.-There is a revolt at St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary, brought about by an order forbidding tobacco and luxuries brought in by friends and a change in management, brought about by political exigencies. Bedlam was let loose, the 391 convicts making the most awful racket. It was decided to make a united break for liberty yesterday when they were let out of their cells, but this failed, as they were kept in confinement. They are quiet now, but things look bad, and very serious trouble is expected. The force of guards is very small, and reenforcements have been sent from the

SAFE ROBBERY RECALLED.

Arrest of Notorious Cracksmen In Connection With the Dennett Case.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.-The boldest safe cracking job committed in this city while O'Brien was in charge of the detective bureau here remained a mystery until last night, when Chief Mc-Cluskey announced that he had the criminals in custody. Several safes in Dennett's restaurant on Park row, opposite the general postoffice, were plundered on Feb. 10, 1896, and \$2,000 in cash stolen. O'Brien's men could not find a clew to the identity of the cracksmen, but when McCluskey became chief of detectives he took up the old case and found that the safe robbing was the work of John Hamilton, alias Mc-Carthy, alias Brooklyn Johnny, and John McManus, alias Kid McManus, two veteran safe burglars.

The pair were captured yesterday in Mount Morris park. Besides the Dennett crime, the prisoners are accused of having robbed the safe in Salvin's clothing store at 153 Park row on Oct.

McManus' last term in prison was for tobbing the safe in a Bridgeport (Conn.) ewelry store.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores of the Baseball Games At Brooklyn-

New York...... 3 2 0 2 0 3 9 0-19 Brooklyn 1 0 0 0 0 3 0 0-4 New York-H:ts, 15; errors, 2. Brooklyn-Hits, 7; errors, 8. Game called on account of darkness. At Louisville-

Louisville 2 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 *-- 4 Pittsburg 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 Louisville-Hits. 10: errors, 4. Pittsburg-Hits, 7: errors, 2.

Second game-Pittsburg 3 0 4 0 0 0 1 0-8 ouisville 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2-2 Pitisburg-Hits, 14: errors, 1. Louisille—Hits, 6; errors, 2. Game called on account of darkness.

At Boston-Boston 0 1 3 1 1 1 0 2 *- 9 Philadelphia .. 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 Boston—Hits, 12: errors. 1. Philadelhia-Hits, 4t errors, 2. At Baltimore-

Baltimore 3 1 0 9 4 0 1 4 *-13 Chicago 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 Baltimore-Hits, 16; errors, 1. Chicago-Hits, 7; errors, 4.

Standing of the Clubs.

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Baltimore	. 84	33	.718
Boston	. 85	35	.708
New York	. 76	42	.644
Cincinnati		50	.573
Cleveland	. 60	- 59-	.564
Washington	. 55	63	.466
Brooklyn	54	66	.450
Chicago	. 53	68	.438
Pittsburg	. 52	67	.437
Philadelphia	. 51	69	.423
Louisville	. 51	71	.413
St. Louis	. 27	92	.227
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CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The severe draught in Himois Indi ana and Iowa remains unbroken.

The Spanish war department is conentraing 6.000 troops for trasportaion to Cuba. Murderer Edward Flanagan escaped

afterward captured. The British Indian expedition under

Jeneral Yeatman Biggs has succeeded in relleving the Samana posts. Attorney General Hancock will ask

emorrow for Sept. 28 as the date for the hearing of the Coal trust cases. A mob of 400 overpowered the jailer

at Versa:lles, Ind., and took out and ynched five men arrested for burglary. Washington officials deny that the administration feels that there is a crisis mp-nding between this country and

Major Moses P. Handy, United States p-cial commissioner to the Paris exesition of 1900 has reached the French rapital.

Eight coal miners in the Alden shaft, No. 2 at Nantzuk- Pa. were hurt, four dangerously, by the falling of the

News from Guatemala tells of the andidicy of three rivals for the presidency besides Senor Barrios and trou-

This expected. Henry Kohier, the millionair- sonin-law of Mrs. Craten of San Fran-

usco, says he will help her to continue the Fair will fight.

The president has named Thomas Smith of New Jersey for consulat Moss on and Nolan L. Ches as assistant remeran of the tragety

Hop. William L. Wilson was yesterlay installed as president of Washingion and Lee university, Lexington Va. Brown university opened with Presifent Andrews in charge.

The New York Central's White Mountamp express, west bound, could dow,th a fleight at Newbark $N,\ T\in N_0$ one was killed, but three seeming this were purned and the road of ked

English Shipwrights Strike.

NEW ASTLE-ON-TYNE Errand tent 16.—The shallowhite are joining forces with the endnesses in a firmidable industrial struggle which is now seriously aller that the whole country Following the strike of the men-Whitworth yards and other shipbuilding yards on the Type and along the northeast coast, the Shiphuilders' federation has called out all other shipvirghts. This action, supplementing the engineering strike has completed the paralysis of the chipbuilding trade

Pittsburg Soldier Gets a Medal.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- A medal of honor has been awarded to General Alfred L. Pearson of Pittsburg for gallantry in leading a charge at the battle of Lewis Farm, Va., March 29, 1865. A modal has also been awarded to George Marsh of Washington for gallantry at Elk River, Tenn., in 1863.

MICHAEL WINS AGAIN.

Starbuck's Conqueror Lowers Lesna's Colors and Breaks Records.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 16. The 20 mile match race between Lucien Lesna and Jimmy Michael was won by Michael by 150 yards in the fast time of 38m, 11s., beating the world's record by 2 3-5s. The leader and time by miles follow:

11110S.	Time.
First Michael	1:55 4-5
becondLegna	3:45 4-5
ThirdLe-na	5:44 2-5
FourthMichael	7:14 1-5
FifthMichael	9:23 1-5
SixthMichael	11:19
Beventh Michael	13.16
Eighth Lesna	15:10 %-5
NinthMuhael	17.05 2-5
TenthLesna	19:02
EleventhMichael	20-58 4-5
TwelfthMichael	22.50 1-5
ThirteenthMichael	94-18 1-5
Fourteenth Michael	96-19
Fifteenth Michael	28.35
SixteenthMichael	20.30 4.6
SeventeenthLesna	99.90 5 5
Eighteenth Michael.	والمناشقة والمناشقة
Nineteenth Michael	94154 92,50
TwentiethMichael.	40.31
A Wentach Dichaci	65:11

Besides breaking the 20 mile record Michael broke the 16 mile record, which was formerly 30m. 32 4-5s, and held by Lesna. The 20 mile record was formerly held by Lesna. The fastest mile was the tenth, made in 1m. 48 4-5s. The two started paced by quads. Michael took the lead at the start and kept it to the third lap, when Lesna passed him Michael kept a few feet behind until the seventh lap, when he shot ahead and took the lead. At the fourth mile he was 100 yards ahead. He kept the lead to the seventeenth lap, when Lesna's pacers passed his. Michael then hitched on to Lesna, leaving his own pacers behind. Michael's pacers caught up on the next lap, and Michael led again. Lesna then took the lead and kept it for

Michael took the lead at the twentieth lap and kept it for two miles. Lesna then had the lead by a few feet for a mile. Jimmy then shot ahead and with a fine burst of speed kept 40 yards ahead. He kept this lead till the thirtythird lap, when Lesna gained and led for a mile. That was the last time that the little Welshman was headed. At the seventeenth mile Michael was 50 yards ahead. He gained right along to the finish and passed the tape fully 150 yards in the lead. The crowd piled on to the track when he came around and fairly went wild.

AUGUST IMPORTS AND EXPORTS

Interesting Statistics Furnished by the Tressury Department.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.-Domestic exports for August were the largest of any August of which the bureau of statistics of the treasury department has a record. They were valued at \$79,497,-\$20, as against \$66,639,981 in August. 1896, an increase of \$12,807,839. For the eight months ended Aug. 31 they amounted to \$629,434,372, an increase of \$62,217,397 over last year.

The excess of exports of merchandise over imports for August last was \$40,-953.753, as against an excess of \$19.132 .-816 in August, 1896, and during the past eight months \$95,229,213, as compared with \$109,698,493 during the corresponding months of 1896.

The value of imports during August amounted to \$39,876,640. This is the smallest value since June, 1879, when they amounted to \$38,890,451.

The increase of exports is made up mainly of breadstuffs, which is accounted for by the heavy foreign demand for

American grains. The amount of gold imported during August amounted to \$4,374,175 and the

exports to \$1,983,588. The silver imports during August amounted to \$1.491 752 and the exports

NORTH RIVER BOATS COLLIDE.

to \$5.010.277.

It Is Relieved Three Passengers on the Steamer Catskill Were Drowned.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16 -The big Hudson river steamboat Catskill of the night line and the still larger excursion boat St. Johns came into collision last night on the North river off Fiftyninth street this city. The St Johns, which was returning from a day trip up the river, had tally 1,000 excursionists on boarl and the other boat had started on its regular night trip with about 30 passengers.

As the result of the smash up the Catskil is now a wreck on the Jersey shore at We-hav't noun- of her pagsengers, Leonard P. Miller of Hoooken, is a patient at the Rosevelt hospital. and three others are said to be in the wreak at the bott it of the river. The St. Johns was damic all out none of her passingers or inside a sourt

Major, who was taken from the was ter with a fraction I was says, he saw. a small box drawn. The low is milesed to have been a son of M ses Timmerman tresidento' Leeds N T

A young woman on the dock at the foot of West Flf.; minth wrent said she thought she had not two idends on board the Catskib

Suitan Can Stand It if Paris Can't. PARTS Sent IS -- La Parmie says that

the su, an of Turkey has invited the divorced Princess of Chinary Caraman at the Armstrong Elswork works the 1 to 2.ve in his majosty's ormate theater at the Yildiz Rosk the performance which the Paris poles recently refused to allow at the Podes Gergerss. It appears that his majesty has concerned a violent admiration for the eloping companion of Rigo the Hungarian tzigane.

Warship Sent to Central America. WASHINGTON Sept. 16-1"pon ad-

vices from United States Consul Prinale at Guatemala City to the effect that revolutionists had captured the town of Ocas, on the west coast of Guatemala, the state department has called upon the navy department to send a warship there to watch over American interests, and the Alert, at Mare island, has been ordered to the scene of trouble.

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TERMED A TRAITOR.

New York Democratic State Committee Expels Mr. Purroy.

COURT OF APPEALS JUDGE NAMED.

Alton B. Parker Made the Choice of the Meeting After Four Names Were Submitted - The Chicago Platform Ignored.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The meeting of the Democratic state committee at the Hoffman House began in an exceedingly lively manner more than an hour after the time announced for it. The fighting started in as soon as the roll was called.

County Clerk Purroy, who is a member of the committee, answered to his name when it was called.

Committeeman Coison immediately brought up a resolution expelling Mr. Purroy on the ground that he had betrayed his party,

Some of the up the state delegates defended Mr. Purroy, but the Tammany Hall members, led by Tom Grady, denounced him vigorously and insisted upon his expulsion. The meeting of the committee was

held with closed doors, but the voices of the wrangling committeemen could be distinctly heard in the main lobby of the hotel. After a redhot argument Purroy was

expelled from membership in the com-mittee on the ground above stated treason to Tammany Hall and the Purroy left the committee room de-

nouncing the members in the most dramatic manner. He was greatly excited and made the following statement: "As already stated, Sheehan's resolution of expulsion from the state com-

mittee has no terrors for me. "I view it with the utmost complacency and shall not question either the jurisdiction of the committee or the consistency of some of its members who so faithfully betrayed their presidential

candidate last year. "In fact, I regard it as a great compliment to be attacked politically by a man of Sheehan's disreputable public

"For a long time I have been steadily orotesting against the humiliation of having to associate with him politically and against the degradation of having to pretend to regard him as the real

"From now until the close of the polls shall continue to do all in my power oward averting the woeful disgrace of xtending Sheehanism to the new government of Greater New York, and, believe me, it is very gratifying to me to recognize in the futile expulsion the best proof that my humble efforts in this regard have aiready made themselves

The vote expelling Purroy stood 48

The four members who voted for Purby were Duffy and Coffey of Kings. Sulzer of New York and Chase of Al-

The committee then admitted memand the Progressive Democratic league. who presented a memorial urging the indorsement of the Chicago platform. The name of Judge Parker was placed

in nomination for chief justice of the supreme court of appeals by James A. Betts of Ulster county. Immediately after Mr Betts finished

his eulogy of Judge Parker, Norton Chase of Albany nominated D. Cady Herrick for the same office. In all the names of four gentlemen

were presented. They were: Judge Parker, who received 27 votes; Charles E Patterson, who received 8 votes; former Attorney General Taber of Erie. 10 votes, and D Cady Herrick of Albany, who received 3 votes.

The silver issue will not have a place in the campaign of the Greater New York

The Democratic state committee, after a lively argument, decided to ignorathe Chicago platform Representatives of the two wings of

the party advocating the indorsement of the Chicago platform were listened to, but the state committee refused to take any action in the matter, in spite of the vigorous protest from the alver

No resolutions were presented relating in any way to a platform or referring o the Chicago platform. National Composites than Frank Camp-

ell who is a member of the state committee real of them to the other memahers from (Tallimus James K. Jones if the pat, mal con matter, in which Mr. I nes true that it the state (arimate the limited it would be better policy to conore the Charge platform the namonal committee was not in a position to dictate any other action.

After the adjournment of the commutiee the silver men, hended by Senator Toffey of Brooklyn and President Mc-Donald of the Immortant Loyal league saul there would undoubtedly be a si'ver Democrat nomenable for mayor.

Toils Still Winding Around Lastgerr. CHICAGO Seg: 10 - The wild woman caught in Millowe Pack, it is now

known is not Shisage Maker faiet. girt's wife. The prosecution in the than is reprined its end, and the announcement was made yesterday that at anula probably bar ad its witnesses on the stand by Saturday noon. The avidence given weighed heavily against Luctgert, and no more damaging testimony has been given against him than that from Professor George A. Dorsey. Irom the Field Columbian museum, who was on the stand in the afternoon. Professor Dorsey also identified a bone shown him as the left temporal bone of a woman. Professor Norval H. Pierce identified the bones in a manner similar to that of Professor Dorsey.

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For weeks the unknown statesman who was responsible for section 22 of the Dingley tariff bill has been praised by the press, commended by the pubic, blessed by the railroad men of the



JAMES A. TAWNEY.

country and set upon by Canadians as a meddler and an estopper of industry. It is safe to say that he is execrated by the Canadian Pacific road, but there are those in this country who say he is one of the greatest and shrewdest statesmen in America and that he richly deserves to be president of the United States before he dies.

Mr. Tawney is the son of a blacksmith. At the age of 15 he entered his father's shop and learned the trade of blacksmithing. Then he took up mechanics and mastered that trade. He worked at the bench until he was 22 and then he began to read law at night when he was free from the necessity of labor. For two years he studied thus unaided. Then he entered the law office of Bentley & Vance, of Winona, his own town. In one year the was admitted to the bar and then took a course in the law school of the University of Wisconsin. In 1890 Mr. Tawney was elected to the state senate. Six years ago he was elected to congress, and has been twice reelected. He is a republican and one of the quietest members of the house.

Mr. Tawney's suggestion will save no end of business to the railroads of the United States. How valuable the privilege is may be gathered from the squirming of the Canadian Pacific road, which got most of the traffic. No man in Minnesota is as big to-day as Congressman Tawney, and he is just 42

DR. VON HOLLEBEN.

The New German Ambassador Is Well Liked at Washington.

Dr. von Holleben, who will soon come o Washington as the ampassador from Germany, is one of the best known diplomats in Europe. The doctor is also well known and highly esteemed in Washington, where he filled the post of German minister from Maich, 1892, to September, 1893. The mission was then raised to an embassy, and Dr. von Holleben was replaced by Ambassador Saurma-Jeltsch. The new ambassador is highly educated and a most suave man. He speaks English with as much fluency as a born American or Englishman, and during his stay here five years ago he won many friends in Washington society, where he was known as



DR. VON HOLLEBEN. German Ambassador at Washing ton)

one of the few bachelors of the diplomatic corps. Dr. von Holleben has had a wide and varied experience as a diplomat. He has represented Germany at Santiago de Chile and at Tokio. That was before his appointment to the American mission. He is about 55 years old and has an inclination toward the pleasures of literature. He will replace Baron von Thielmann, who is to be secretary of the German treasury. Dr. von Holleben is now minister at Stuttgart.

Menelek Bars Tourists.

Pestered beyond all endurance by the numerous foreign visitors from every quarter of the globe, Emperor Meneick has now made known that no one will be allowed to enter or travel in Abyssinia, unless intrusted with some official mission by his government to the court of the negus, or else provided with a permit by the latter, which will only be granted in cases where the traveler is properly indorsed and warmly recommended by the recognized executive of his native country. How the Ameer Cycles.

The ameer of Afghanistan has become a victim to the cycling craze, but with the oriental's love of ease he uses a triplet machine, and leaves all the work to his two pedalers.

University of Calcutta. The University of Calcutta is said to sale, this week, 50c a yard. be the largest educational corporation 40 North St. Telephone 39. in the world. Every year it examines over 10,000 students.

THE BROWN-TAIL MOTH. Poisonous Pest of Massachusetts

Many residents of Somerville have been afflicted recently with a strange disease, which baffied the physicians, and for which no one could offer an explanation, says the Boston Transcript. They seemed to have been victims of ivy poisoning, the hands and arms reddening and swelling, but they had not touched any ivy. It is now definitely known that the trouble all came from the presence of that new pest, the

brown-tail moth. This discovery was made by the employes of the gypsy moth committee. who, to their sorrow, have found that to touch a brown tail moth is equivalent to taking a dose of poison. When the employes of the committee began their annual work of turning burlaps to see how many pupa had se-creted themselves thereunder, they found in the places contiguous to Somerville a number of pupa of the brown-tailed moth. Grown careless by the innocent nature of the ocneria dispar, they plucked them off and destroyed them. Then the trouble began, and loud are the complaints of the men with poisoned hands and arms. The moths are now handled gingerly The center of the gypsy moth pesti-lence has moved from the Malden-Medford district, where it originally developed, to the Saugus woods. It is estimated that the committee men are slaughtering 100,000 daily.

CAT AND RHINOCEROS CHUMS.

Superintendent Smith's Snyder Be-comes Smile's Devoted Friend.

Superintendent John B. Smith, of the Central park menagerie at New York the other day found in the rhinoceros cage his large black cat Snyder, which had been missing for a week. While going through the elephant house in which Smiles, the old rhinoceros, is kept, Superintendent Smith saw the missing cat curled up in the hay beside the big beast, and the rhinoceros was licking the car's fur with its tongue. Superintendent Smith watched the pair for a time and tried to coax the cat out, but it would not leave Smiles. A keeper informed him that the two had struck up a strong friendship in the past week, and when the rhinoceros was asleep the cat would frequently perch

itself on Smiles' back and keep watch.
"In its native state," explained Superintendent Smith, "a bird known to hunters as the rhinoceros bird keeps watch over the rhinoceros when sleeping, and pecks at its cars to arouse it at the approach of danger. Nature, perhaps, is working on the same lines in bringing Smiles and Snyder together; but it's a queer friendship, and I shall not dis-

The Road to Klondike

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at sale 33.c a yard

Large 15c Turkish Bath Towels oc ench. Remnants of Linen Towening,

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double fold, always 15c., at Tompkins' sale 10c

15 Pieces of All Wool Novelties, value 35c, all new fall patterns, at Tompkins iale 25c a yard

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all sorts of outlog wear, in a choice (ollection of new fall mixtures, such as tans, browns, greys, etc. 60c goods at 30c a yard Double Fold Cashmeres. a dozen or more colors to choose from, 25c value, at sale 19c a yard.

All-Wool Cashmeres. usual price 45c a yard, at sale 35c a yard Beautiful, Superb Quality of Silk Finished Henrietta.

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 $BLACK\ GOODS-$ Double Fold Cashmeres 19c a vard.

50c All Wool Cashmeres 35c a vard.

Elegant Silk-Finished Henrietta, value 75c., at Tompkins' Dress Goods sale 50c a 50-Inch Black Serge,

38-Inch Black Brilliantine, a good 45c quality, at sale 29c a yard. 40-Inch Black Mohair Brilliantine, a good 50c quality, at sale 29c a yard. Black English Mohair Brilliantine,

vaine 75c, at this sale 50c a yard.

a good 75c quality, at Fair week sale 50c a yd. 50-Inch Superb Black Serge and elegant Black Henrietta, a good \$1 quality, at sale 75c a yard. Superh Black Henrietta

and Fine Twilled Black Serge, elsewhere sold at \$1.35, at Tompkins' sale \$1. A Few of Our Big Money Savers in Silks. All silk Black Taffeta, very fine, sold by all other merchants at 75c. At Tompkins' sale 50c a vard.

Black Brocaded Gros Grain Silks, A beautiful quality, very brilliant, and price for sule s w ck, instead of 75c, will be only 55c a

Beautiful Satin Figured Taffetas, with plain and diced grounds, in combinations of dahlia and green, black and violet, cerise and empire and other contrasting effects, 75c quality

at 55c a yard. Few Roman Striped Taffetas. Indescent brocedes and satin figured two toned Tricotines, \$1 quality at sale 75c a yard

Great and Attractive Sale of Winter. Underwtar.It's early for Underwear, but buy now Money saved is morey made Those who take advantage of this sale will have cause for rejoicing before many weeks are past. We bought more Underwear timb we needed. We are going to close a lot of it out during the Fair week. These prices will doub.

One Big Lot of Men's Jersey Overshirts 50c goods, but we have too many of them, and thir week they will go at 25c each.

Men's White Merino

or Gray Mixed Shirts and Drawers, at sale 25c each.

Men's Gray Weol Shirts and Drawers. Goods that we can never match again at this price. Value 752, at this Fair week sale 50c each Men's Very Fine Quality Camels' Hair

Shirts and Drawers. They are goods that cost wholesale to-day \$12.50 a dozen, and everyone retails them for \$1.25 each. Our buyer made a larky purchase of this lot. At Tompkins' Fair week sale they will be marked 75c each.

Men's Double-Breasted Shirts,

with Drawers to match, \$1.25 quality, at sale

Ladies' Ribbed Vests,

with long sleeves, usually 21c, at sale 15c each

Ladies' Fine Fleece Lined Ribbed Vests. usual price 29c., marked down to 19c each during Fair week sale.

ing Fair week sale.
Ladies' Fine Part Wooi Ribbed Vests, sleece lined, 50c quality, *t sale 35c each
Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Fiecce Lined Vests, value
50c., at sale 45c each.
Ladies' Gruy Camels' Hair Shirts and Drawers,
\$1 quality, at sale 75c each.
Ladies' \$1.25 Gray Camels' Hair Shirts and
Drawers, at sale \$1 each.
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in white or gray merino, white wool and camela hair at low prices during this great Underwear 500 Boxes Paper and Envelopes,

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worth 12c., at sale 5c each 20 and 25c Boxes of Genuine Linen Paper, and Envelopes to match at sale 10c a box.

38c Boxes of Extra Henvy Paper and Envelopes, put up in pound boxes containing 60 sheets of paper and 66 anvelopes, as a price 18c a box Paper and Envelopes put up in fancy celluloid boxes, 39 and 50c quality, at sale 25c a box.

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WAYS OF COLLEGE BOYS.

How Many of Them Pay for a Classic Education.

During the Summer Vacation They Seek Work on Farms, in Hotels, as Drivers and as Baggage Men.

[Special Boston Letter.] A few days ago, a well-known college athlete, a leader in New York society. entered the dining-room of a fashionable hotel in Maine. He was nattily dressed and his manner betokened all the exclusive hauteur of aristocracy. The diners gaped with wonder when the newcomer rushed up to one of the colored waiters and gave him a profusely cordial handshake. Both men were students at Harvard university, class-mates, co-athletes, and leading members of the same oratorical society.

During the vacation months, thousands and thousands of students, lead-



ers in college society, are making their living by six and seven dollars a week jobs, and odd jobs they are. too.

It is a very common error to believe that college students as a class are wealthy. On the contrary, the vast majority of them must work might and main to make both ends meet. The rich Bian's son is frequently too lazy to go through five years of hard study, and knows that his nest is padded even if he does not possess any superior attainments. The poor man's boy, on the other hand, is energetic and ambitious. A college degree means to him half the battle for success, and he will make great sacrifices to attain it. Many, many lads are in our universities today, making their living from month to month, while their mothers at home are washwomen, their fathers, the poorest of poor farmers. The majority of boys probably come from the middle classes where the necessary expenses of a college education—\$300 to \$600 a year bear too heavily on the father's pocketbook to justify the boy's doing nothing to help himself.

A good many boys work a year or two at a time and then go back to college on what they have saved. But the more energetic find the years too precious, and these pay their expenses as they go along. Besides the eight or nine hours of daily study that each student is required to do, the poor boy must find time to make a living. and when others are at a dance or at the theater he is burning the midnight oil to make up for the lost time.

This is the sort of a man to whom a college education is most valuable. His school learning has been supplemented by practical experience gained by buffeting around in the hard world of dollars and cents, while the wealthy boy has spent the years in which his life's ideas and ideals were crystallizing in looking at only one, and that a peculiar phase of life—the life of books The former class predominates es-

pecially in the west. For when a man



THE PROFESSOR RECOGNIZED HIS HONOR STUDENT.

is wealthy he prefers to send his boy to some fashionable eastern institution, and so our youthful aristocracy is centered at Yale, Harvard, Amherst, Brown and a few other eastern schools.

Yet the very presence of this rich

element enables a great many poor boys to attend these same aristocratic institutions. In the first place money flows easily and enables all sorts of elaborate business schemes to be advanced. Then, too, poor men make a great deal of money by tutoring the rich chaps. Such private teaching consists largely in filling up a boy who has been too lazy to attend classes regularly with a hurried review of his courses. Just before the final examinations Harvard and Yale undergradnates often command salaries of \$2.50 and \$3 an hour for tutoring in courses which they themselves have but just completed. An able man will sometimes call a class the evening before

Each student pays \$1.50 to \$2.00, and, as the classes sometimes number over NO OTHER SHOW LIKE IT ON EARTH fifty, tutors have been known to carn munificent incomes.

Quite a harvest is reaped by taking shorthand notes and selling type-written copies of lectures. All such work is practically unknown in western institutions, where even the wealthier boys find it neither necessary nor financially convenient to employ tutors.

But in the east, also, every boy is not adapted for tutoring, as only those with high standing can get the work. So less dignified jobs are resorted to. For one, waiting on tables is quite common. This pays about 25 cents an hour, or so many hours a week in payment of board. Room rent is secured free of charge in return for por-

Odd jobs of all sorts are accepted. At Northwestern university one of the boys, class of '94, looked after the lawu and garden of the Greek professor, sold papers at the street corner, rented boats one summer, and during the freshman year even took to skining shoes. He came to college with just eight dollars in his pocket and left four years later with a diploma, a library of books, a full dress suit, all debts paid, and little the worse for wear of a few years' struggle.

The writer is acquainted with a young man of 22 who got his A. B. from Harvard university this day. He came to college with 11 cents, a good brain and a healthy body, and, ass. but not least, an indomitable lot of Yankee pluck. By taking extra studies he completed the four years' course in three

From peddling newspapers and dickering in advertising villenes, the work of his freshman year, he rose to prominence as a private tutor and new spaper writer. He has been a lender in intellectual and social spheres and besides has spent both his vacations in European pleasure trips.

Ordinarily the great time for making money is the summer vacation. It is the busy season, and boys find work as waiters or clerks. Two years ago a professor at Wisconsin unversity went on a fishing trip in the lakes. He met a ragamuffin fisherman, bare footed, and with a huge straw hat. The fisherman doffed his hat, and the professor recognized his honor student in political economy. A corps of Ann Arbor students find

regular work as deck hands on Mississippi river boats. One of the boys, a '98 man, who has worked in the kitchen two summers, is now the ship steward at \$15 a week.

The raliroads also employ a number of boys. Last year's captain of one of the



greatest football teams in the country has spent several summers in the baggage cars of a Chicago road, while positions as conductors on electric lines are quite commonly accepted.

Of all student jobs, canvassing is the most universal. Chances to sell on commission are always open, and when a boy possesses the proper gift of gab. he can reap a big harvest off a goodnatured public.

Indeed there are stories current of smoothfaced, glib-tongued divinity men who go on the road in ministerial Prince Alberts, and sell expensive religious books. Without exactly saying so they make the farmers feel that it would mean a positive lack of piet. should they refuse to buy, and it is said that more than one student has netted \$400 and \$500 during a summer's vaca-

Driving laundry wagons is remunerative employment, not only during the summer, but also through the school year. A student will usually give his colleague the preference over outside laundry men. In nearly every college shirt laundries must therefore pay a commission to some student agent.

Life insurance and real estate have also been worked, though with less frequent success. Advertising soliciting. on the other hand, appears more con genial. It requires considerable business ability besides the gift of gab. A student at the University of Chicago. who had both qualifications, solicited for the college paper, printed the scores of games with advertisement and finally undertook publishing schemes of some magnitude. Starting at college practicrlly penniless, he cleared as much as \$350 during the last summer.

Newspaper writing attracts a large number. The much-to-be-pitied city editor can testify to this. Every June he is overwhelmed with applications from 'grinds" who had "A's" in English composition and who cannot understand why their classmates who pulled only a "C minus," should get a steady job. while they themselves must look on.

Those who wish to be free from stress and excitement generally take jobs on farms at tong hours and small pay. This seems to be a specialty rather of the western than of the eastern student.

The money-making schemes that brainy men devise are practically innumerable. All sorts of positions from those of the meanest day laborer to that of an experienced business man at a high salary are filled, and a summer vacancy is hardly conceivable for which some properly qualified college mar

may not present himself.



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ness. The man or woman who is perfectly well, enjoys life like a child. Healthy well, enjoys life like a child. Healthy people do not appreciate the fact that the country is full of unhappy people—people who are sick with skin ailments, kidney and urinary diseases, liver troubles, stomach disorders. If they knew of all this suffering, their hearts would go out in sympathy.

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His brains have not arrived as yet.

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Claud—Mildred, M you persist in carrying on with George Waits as you have been doing all must be at an end be-

Mildred-O, Claud, you dear old silly, surely you're not jealous of that child!

Ambition.

De talk of wealth kain't dazzle me Enough an' some to spare I'd hab, if I could only be

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS. WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 16.—Fair, followed by showers: cooler Friday

THE TEMPERATURE. The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:
1 a. m., 57°: 12 m., 77°: 3 p. m., 82°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION. -Sept. 14-17-Orange County Fair. -Sept. 16-"Mme Sans Gene," at Casino.

-Sept. 20-"The Great Train Robbery," at the -Sept. 21-Trolleymen's picnic, at Midway Park -Sept. 22-Excursion to New York via Eric Railroad.

-Sept. 23-Mary Powell exeursion. —Sept. 30—Annual festival and dance of Mc-Quoid Engine Co., at Assembly Rooms. -Sept. 28 - Japanese Kettle Drum, at First Baptist Church. -Oct. 1 and 2-Orange County Horse Show, at Goshen.

THURSDAY, SEPT 16, 1897.

JUDICIARY CONVENTION.

Whereas, at the Judiciary Convention of the Democratic party, held in and for the Second Judicial District, at the Court House, in the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 29th day of September, 1896, it was unanimously resolved that the Churman and Secretary of said convention be authorized to call the next Judiciary Convention of said district, and to effect its organization as temporary officers.

district, and to effect its organization as temporary officers.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said authority, the undersigned do hereby call a Judiciary Convention of the Democratic party in and for the second Judicial District, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 29th day of September, 197, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of Justice of the Supreme Court, in place of Mr. Justice Willard Bartlett, to be voted for at the ensuing general election.

Dated September 10th, 1897.

ARTHUR C. SALMON, Chairman.

JOHN W. LYON, Secretary.

ALTON B. PARKER NOMINATED.

The Democratic State Committee at its meeting in New York, yesterday, nominated Judge Alton B. Parker, of Kingston, for Judge of the Court of Appeals. The committee gave a hearing to the representatives of several organizations which desired the committee to reaffirm last year's platform or make some equally specific declaration in favor of the free taken from under the feet of these extre- to the one at Matteawan. mists by the reading of a letter from Chairman Jones, of the Democratic National Committee, in which he advised that it was neither wise nor necessary to give national issues undue prominence in a distinctively State campaign.

One of the outside organizations, the Loyal Democratic League, held a meeting after the adjournment of the State Committee at which it was proposed to nominate an independent candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals. This suggestion was promptly followed by the resignation of most of the country members, whose loyalty to the Democratic party was not shaken by the fact that tiey had not been able to control its action or | Suicide at Central Valley. shape its policy, and who have no wish to place themselves in the same position as those whom they denounced as bolters, kickers and renegades in last fall's campaign.

Judge Parker is now on the Supreme Court bench. He was for many years prominent in Ulster county politics and has a very strong hold on the rank and file of the Democratic party is that county, whose representatives in the County Committee recently adopted resolutions urging his nomination for the Court of Appeals, in which they commended him for his unswerving loyalty to Democracy and eulogized his private worth, his professional attainments and his judicial

Fainted on the Fair Grounds,

Yesterday afternoon, George A. Sway ze superintendent of horses at the county rair, was overcome by the heat and nunted on the grand stand. He was taken to his home in a carriage. Mr. Swayze has worked diligently for the success of his department, and although complaining of illness all day, he refused to give up until compelled to. He was much better, this morning.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and hat is cotarrh. Hall's Cutarrh (ure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fratermty. Catarrh being sconstitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hail's Catarrh is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature to do its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for lists of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

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SOFT COAL MINERS' STRIKE ENDED

Over 15,000 Men Returned to Work To-day—Strike Against the DeArmitts to Be Continued.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 16.-After three months of idleness, over 15,000 coal miners in the Pittsburg district went to work, to-day, in accordance with the sixty-five cent scale adopted at Columbus. The remainder of the 23,000 miners will be working before the end of the week.

The strike lasted sixty-five working days and cost the Pittsburg district people between \$5,000,000 and \$7.000,-000, of which \$2.250,000 was lost wages.

. The strike against the DeArmitts will continue indefinitely. Arrangements have been made for assessing the working miners five percent of their wages toward defraying the expenses of keeping up the fight till the sixty-five cent rate is made uniform throughout the district.

MURDER IN NEWBURGH.

A Family Returned After Several Weeks' Absence and Found Their Servant Murdered.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

NEWBURGH, Sept. 16.-Mrs. Bridget Hayes, a domestic, aged forty, was found dead this morning in the bathroom of a Grand avenue residence with her throat cut.

The family had been absent for several weeks and returned, this morning, to find the domestic murdered. It is supposed the crime was committed, yester

The coroner is investigating. There is no clue to the murderer or his motive.

MARY POWELL EXCURSION.

To Be Run by the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen Sept. 23.

On Thursday, Sept. 23rd, the Brother hood of Railroad Trainmen will run a Mary Powell excursion from Middletown to New York. rate for round trip only one dollar. Tickets may be secured in advance from members of the brotherhood. If the day should prove to be stormy the excursion will be postponed until Friday, 24th, inst. The object of this excursion is a worthy one, it only for the brotherhood sick benefitfund, and should be liberally patronized. Don't forget the date, Sept. 23rd.

A LUNATIC'S ESCAPE.

Got &way from a Matteawan Attendant at the Eric Station.

An attendant from the Matteawan Hospital for the Criminal Insane came to this city, yesterday, to take a crimicoinage of silver, but the ground was | nal patient from the State Hospital here

The attendant started with prisoner to take the Erie's 4:11 train, but in the Saddlers and Hunters—P. Lorillard, Jr., Tuxedo, and Oliver Iselin, New York. big crowd of returning fairgoers about the station the lunatic dodged his keeper and got away.

An alarm was sent out and about 10 o'clock last night the man was picked up by the Goshen police.

New Superintendent of St. Paul's Sun-

School, has acc pted the office of Sunday School superintendent in St. Paul's M. E. | ach receives it without distress. One-Church, in place of John Creesey, who has left the city.

Mrs. May Clay, a New York stenographer under treatment at the Central Valley Sanitarium, committed suicide, Wednesday morning, by hanging herself in her room. She left a note saying that she could not bear the thought of being a burden to her friends.

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HYMENEAL,

Baker-Pierson.

The marriage of Miss Emma M. Pierson, eldest daughter of Newton B. Pierson, of 24 Prince street, and James C. Baker, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Baker, ornear Ellenville, took place at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon, at the resitence of the bride. Her pastor, Dr. William A. Robinson, of the First Congregational Church, officiated.

The bridesmaid was Miss Bessie E. Baker, of Bloomingburgh, sister of the groom, and the groomsman was William McC. Pierson, brother of the bride.

The bride was charming in a traveling dress of brown mixed goods with hat to match. The bridesmaid wore a dress of similar color. The groom, who is employed by the

Middletown-Goshen Traction Company,

has been a resident of this city for eight vears. Mr. and Mrs. Baker left on the 4:20 train on the (), and W, for a short wedding tour to New York and Albany. On their return they will reside with the

One Dollar to New York and Return,

bride's lather for the present.

The Erie announce a \$1 excursion to New York, on Wednesday, Sept. 22nd, via special train in both directions. Special train leaves James street at 7:54 and Main street at 7:56 a m. Returning, leaves Jersey City at 8 p. m., arriving here about 9:45 p. m. Connection will be made with M. and C. branch trains in both directions. Matinees at all theatres, together with the other numerous attractions offered at this time of the year, make it an opportunity for a delightful day's outing at a very small cost.

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Judges for the Horse Show.

The following gentlemen have been selected as judges for the third annual exhibition of the Orange County Horse Show Association to be held on the grounds of the Goshen Driving Park, Gosben, Oct. 1 and 2:

Trotting-James W. Cooke, Philadelphia; George Willing, Philadelphia, and Fancy Braids, Fancy Silks, etc Hon. Carl S. Burr, Jr., Long Island.

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We are showing the largest stock of Overcoatings, Funcy and Dress Suitings and Trouserings, officing and domestic manufacture, in the city, have already taken some nice orders. Now is the time to make your selection while the stock is complete. Balance of Spring and Summer Stock at a big reduction to close out. All are invited to call on

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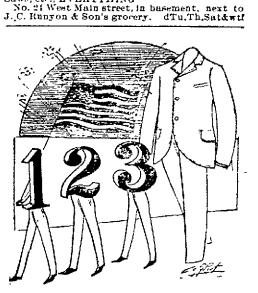
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-"The Light of the World or Our Saviour in -Dance at Columbia Park, Friday night.

-Round bottom boat for sale. -Bell House buildings at auction Sept. 30th. Jackets, capes as diskirts. See Weller & Demirest's adv.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS. -"Mme. Sans Gene" at the Casino, to

-A festival will be held at Bethel A.M. E. Church, this evening.

-Look out for pickpockets on the trolley cars and at the fair.

-P. S. Cox, of Sherburne, Chenango county, recently sold his dairy of eleven cows for \$40 a head. -W. N. Knapp's large St. Bernard dog

died Wednesday afternoon. It is believed that he was poisoned. -An exhibition of Edison's projecting

kinetoscope will be given at the Second Presbyterian Church Sept. 30. -Miss Marion Abbott will take the

part of "Mine. Saus Gene," at the Casino, to-night. Secure your seats now. -A Middletown blacksmith, plain

drunk, was discharged with a reprimand by Recorder Barnes, this morning. -Tickets are on sale at Pronk's for Roes

ch-r's orchestra's hop at Columbia Park. Friday evening. Ladies are invited free. -Mrs. J. Brown, of Fair Oaks, lost a black braided cape on the fair grounds, vesterday. Please leave at the Argcs

-The "Great Train Robbery" will be be produced at the Casino next Monday erening. There will be six (heyenne Indians in the company.

-In making engagements for the inture do not forget McQuoid's annual astival at the Assembly Rooms, Thursday evening, Sept. 30.

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PERSONAL.

-W. Fitch Bailey, of the New York Custom House, was in town, to-day. -Ed. Mott, the well known New York newspaper man, was in town to-day.

-Letters from E. A. Brown state that be is recovering rapidly, and will shortly

-Mrs. Isaac McCarthy, of Middletown, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Martz, on Cortland street.—Norwich Sun.

-Miss Alice Keele, of Middletown, is visiting her sister. Jennie, and cousin. Miss Mary Lester, of this village.-Port Jervis Gazette.

-Alired Henderson and son have returned to Middletown after spending the summer with his mother. He expects to work in the west the coming season.-Honesdale Independent.

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PICKPOCKETS AT WORK.

Light Fingered Gentry Busy on the Grounds and on Crowded Trolley Cars

afford a fine field for pickpockets and their work on the inir grounds and on the crowded trolley cars.

Stewart Coddington, of Thompson Ridge, had his pocket picked of \$29 while going on a trolley car to the grounds, this morning.

Samuel S. Bull, of Chester, announced that his pocketbook, containing a large sum of money had been taken from his inside coat pocket. Several ladies also reported the loss of pocketbooks. Mrs. B. B. Williams found one small pocket-

Two pockets were also picked on the Goshen cars and it is more than likely that others have been robbed who have said nothing. No arrests have been made, nor have the authorities been able to locate any parties whom they regard

as suspicious. While boarding a trolley car at Goshen William Ostrander, of Wallkill, Ulster county, had his pocket picked of \$30 and a Mr. Seybolt. of Washingtonville, was

Mrs. Eilenberger, of Hanford street, reports the loss of her pursecontaining \$7.

A Lost Boy Returned to His Mother.

A three-year-old boy, found by a woman at the corner of Linden avenue and John street about noon, yesterday. was at police headquarters until 5 o'clock. when Officer White having received information that the boy belonged to Mrs. Wagner, of 55 Sprague avenue, took him there. Mrs. Wagner, though she had not been at all concerned at the youngster's absence, expressed herself as glad to get him back.

Reunion of the Oswego Midland Em-

D. C. Lamont, O. and W. Superintendent of Bridges, is at Norwich attending the reunion of the employes of the New York and Oswego Midland, from 1869 to 1879.

ARDEN, N. Y., Aug. 9, 1897.-We value Hood's Sarsaparilla very highly. My mother was afflicted with asthma for 20 years. She began taking Hood's Sarsa parilla, and a few bottles of this medicine cured her. She has not had a sick day since that time. My brother has also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it has done him much good.

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DAILY ARGUS. THURSDAY, SEPT 16, 1897.

Another Large Crowd on the Grounds, To-day.

Partial List of the Premiums Awarded.

To-Day's Attendance Much Larger Than the Managers Had Anticipated-Racing a Popular Feature--The Fakirs Outside the Gates--The First Two Days' Gate Receipts--Notes and

The officers of the Orange County Agriultural Society are agreed that they made no mistake in bringing the fair to Middletown. The attendance, yesterday, was so gratifyingly large as to relieve their minds of all anxiety as to the financial results of the exhibition, while the crowd present to-day, though not as large numerically, for the children are not in evidence, is still much larger than they dared to hope for Monday or Tues-

The large attendance, this year, makes ir certain that greater interest will be taken in the fair next year by Middletown people, and that there will be a very marked increase in the number of exhibitors, especially among the business

Assistant Treasurer Nickinson reports that the gate and grand stand receipts, Tuesday, were \$345.90, and \$1,709.70 The interest taken in the races proves

that they are a drawing card and a most popular feature. The grand stand was crowded, and the rails on both sides of the track were thickly lined with men, women and children for a long distance above and below the wire. The judges in most of the departments

finished their work yesterday afternoon, but there were so many entries in some of the classes that the making of awards was not completed until this moraing. As is always the case there are some disappointments, but the awards have m the main been accepted with good grace and no protests have been filed with the secretary.

The fakirs in the Jillett meadow opposite the entrance to the grounds bave picked up some stray nickels, dimes and quarters from the crowds coming and going on the electric road, but none of them have made big money. The man who runs the wheel of fortune seems to be a generous soul, for at long intervals he permits those who are trying to beat him at his own game to win.

Schmitt's Leer booth has been moved from the entrance to the grounds about half way across the meadow. This was necessary because of the discovery that there is a law forbidding the maintenance of such an establishment within 200 The crowds in attendance on the fair | yards of a fair ground. As Mr. Schmitt understood it the "dead line" limit was several complaints have been received of 200 feet, but when informed that it was 200 yards he promptly moved his booth. Tp to 2 o'clock, this afternoon, 4.500

single admission tickets had been sold. Premiums have been awarded as fol-

CATTLE.

Ayrshire-Three-year-old bull, A. Denmston, 1; Arden Farms, 2; yearling bull, Arden Farms, 1: A. Deuniston, 2: bull calf. Franklin Doane, I: Arden Farms, 2: cow, three years, Arden Farms, 1: A. Denniston, 2: two-year-old cow, or heuer, A. Denniston. 1 and 2; Franklin Doane 3: heifer, one year, Franklin Doane, 1: A. Denniston, 2. heifer calt. Franklin Doane, 1: Arden Farms, 2: Grade cow—three years or older. Arden Farms, 1: Geo. M. Hallock, 2: A. Den-niston, 3: grade cow or heifer, A. Denniston, 1: Grade heifer—A. Denniston, 1. Grade heifer—John L. Coffin, 1.

OXEN, STEERS, ETC. Yoke working ozen-T. T. Hulse, 1: Arden Farms, 2. Fat cow-George M. Hallock, 1.

HOLSTEINS AND GRADES.

Ball, three years or over, H. M. Carpenter, I: W. W. Mackey, 2. Bull, two years old, D. R. Miller, 1: Geo. M. Halock, 2. Bull, one year old, Isaac T. Mapes, 1. Grade cow, three years or over, W. E. Wallace, 1; Geo. M. Hallock, 2; W. E. Wallace, 3. Grade heifer calf, Isaac T. Mapes, J.

JERSEYS AND GRADES.

Bull call, two months, Kiernan Bros 1. Cow, three years old. Viola Golddust III, Campbell Farm, 1; "Hudson," P. Cummings, 2; "Mollio," W. E. Wallace, 3. Heiler calf, "Molane," Kiernan Bros., 1; H. M. Carpenter "Blossom," 1; Geo. M. Hallock, 2. Grade heifer, A. Danvistan I. Denniston, 1.

Alfred Sweet, Berkshire boar, 1 and 2:

Berkshire sow, 1 and 2; under one year, 1. Chester boar, 1: under one year, 1; Chester sow, 1. Cheshire boar, 1 and 2; un-ger one year, 1. Jersey Red sow, 1 and 2: under one year, 1. Poland China boar, 1 and 2: under one year, 1. Same award sow and pig. Yorkshire boar, 1; sow, 1. Largest hog, 1 and 2. Two pigs over six months, 2: three pigs under six months, 1, all to A. Sweet, of Glens Falls, Jersey Red boar, Robert Carr, Florida, 1. Boar of any other breed, S. H. Talcott, 1, also first premium on two pigs over six months old. The judges also recommended a special

premium for the exhibition of S. H. Tal-SHEEF.

Alfred Sweet, of Glens Falls, received

arst premiums on Cotswald buck, three Cotswald ewes, Leicester buck, three Leicester ewes, Lincoln buck, Merino buck, fat sheep, Oxford buck, one year, Continued from Page Five.

THE COUNTY FAIR RACES.

Watched With Interest and Pleasure by Theusands-An Exciting Runaway on the Track-Ella Madison's Past Time-Five Heats in the Moad Mace.

The trotting races proved an attractive feature at the fair. Wednesday afternoon, and long before 2 o'clock, the hour named for the start, the fence on both sides of the track was lived with spectators. No one needed to be told that it was children's day, for the youngsters were everywhere in evidence. The special policemen detailed to keep the track clear were unable to cope with the youthful dodgers, and it was necessary for Supt. Goodale to increase his force.

The racing was good, the fluishes in the road race being particularly close and interesting. During the second heat of this race, Major, driven by M. Nagle, broke his right rein and ran away. He kept well ahead of his field and continued on for a mile, when he slowed up and Nagle jumped from the sulky. The horse confinued on his wild run when relieved of the extra weight and was finally caught by William Robbins on his fast peny. The exhibition of horsemanship given by Mr. Robbins was fully appreciated by the crowd, which cheered him lustily. The horse and sulky were uninjured, but driver Nagle will have to buy a new pair of trousers and nurse several abrasions on his knees.

The judges yesterday were Dr. F. M Barnes and E. E. Wood, of Middletown, and Phillip Hasbronck, county superintendent of the poor. The starter was W. W. Gibbs, of Goshen. H. B. Royce was clerk of the course.

Elia Madison won the first race hands down and got a new mark of 2:21%. The mare could have gone several seconds faster, and Mr. Miller regrets that she was not icreed to the pace as it would have placed her in the "20" class, a condition which would have added much to her value as the mare has been bred to

The road race looked like an easy thing for H. S. Chardavoyne's H. S. C. who won the first two heats. Ruby. however, had the staying qualities and captured the next three heats and the

The summaries: 2:30 Class.—Trotting; purse \$300.

Ella Madison, b m..... Road Bare.—Purse \$139.

C. M. G. 5 m...... di-. Time, 2:30—2:32—2:35¼—2:32—2:33. A BROKEN TROLLEY WIRE.

Traffic on the Electric Road Stopped for Haif an Hour-Wany Inconvenienced at the Fair Grounds.

The Traction Company which was handling the large crowd in attendance on the fair, yesterday, in a most satisfactory manner, had a bit of hard luck about 6 o'clock, when the trolley wire broke is two places. Traffic was stopped for about half an hour until the breaks could be mended.

The greater part of the crowd had left the grounds but there were, perhaps, a thousand people who had expected to re- | The Eric trains from the East and Westturn to the city by the electric cars and all brought crowds: the Ontario and Glass of Fashion are now who were left in the lurch for a time-Many of them walked back to t wn and others returned in carriages, but the greater part of them waited with such patience as they could until the cars were again ronning.

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Bell House Buildings to be Sold at Auc-

Allen W. Corwin, executor of the Henry R. Corwin estate, advertises to sell the hotel building, barns and sheds on the Bell House property at auction Sept. 30. The buildings are to be removed in order that the property may the more easily be eut up into lots and sold.

Will Hold a Union Meeting.

All of the junior societies of the churches in this city will hold a union meeting $_{\parallel}$ at 3:30, Sunday, in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church.

An address will be given by Miss Katherine Jones. A cordial invitation is extended to children and their friends.

Miss Mayzie Hill Won.

Miss Mayzie Hill won the Forum's wheel receiving 3,299 votes, to 3,050 for Clarence Munson. The Orange Coun ty Express was the wheel voted.

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AND HAPPENINGS

Our Ball Players Beaten at Port Jervis -Truant Officers Appointed-Returned

to Goshen. From Our Regular Correspondent.

-The Goshen baseball team was deleated at Port Jervis, yesterday, in a wel contested game. Score 6 to 5. Goshen led their opponents until they came to the last time at bat, the score standing 5 to 3 in our layor. The Goshen batman are credited with thirteen long drives that would have been home runs on the Goshen grounds. Port Jervis could not hir Tierney until thelastinning and they only secured seven hirs in all. The return came will be played at Goshen, Saturday. It will be a good one and the attendance will be large. Por Jervis promises to send a delegation 300 strong.

-John R. Case has been appointed truant officer for the town of Goshen outside the village limits. He was appointed by the Town Board.

-Pascal Ramires has returned from Brooklyp and again assumed charge of his barb-r shop in this village.

SPILLED IN THE STREET. A Woman Badly Hurt by the Giving Way of a Wagon Wheel,

One of the hind wheels of a wagon, in which two men and two women were riding, gave way on North street, at noon to-day. All the occupants of the vehicle were thrown out and one of the women was quite badly hurt. She was carried into the home of Officer White, in front of which the ascident happened. One of the men was also hurt on his

The party refused to give their names. saying they were not anxious for newspaper notoriety. It is known that one of the couples was from Bloomingburgh and the other from Hancock.

Railroad Travel to the County Fair.

The Ontario and Western's Sultivau County Express brought in 243 passengers, this morning, and the Crawford branch train land about 200 on board. Western's day express came in loaded with fair goers from the eastern and central portions of the county and people along the Susquehanna and western turned out in such large numbers that the many extra cars provided by the managers were barely sufficient to transport the crowd.

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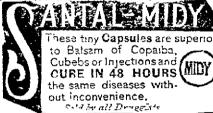
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Harbor at San Francisco.

F. HAYES OF PORTLAND A LUCKY MAN.

Passengers Unite In Confirming the Sto-

ries of Famine at Dawson and Say Seven Thousand People Are There Now, With New Arrivals Daily. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.-The long

overdue steamer Excelsior, which left St. Michaels, Alaska, for this port six weeks ago, but was compelled to put back to Unalaska for repairs after having broken two blades of her propeller, has arrived here with 63 passengers and about \$2,500,000 in gold.

Of those who came down from Alaska all but two are known to have money, but few were communicative enough to admit how much they had. F. Hayes of Portland was conceded to have the largest individual amount, but upon being laterviewed he would admit having but \$35,000.

All unite in confirming the stories already told of the impending danger of famine at Dawson City during the coming winter. They say there are at least 7,000 people now at Dawson City and that more are swarming in every day, but that the provisions are already running short, and the prospects of getting more are remote. The Excelsior's passengers are unanimous in the opinion that the Klondike region is richer than was at first supposed, but are also of the opinion that unless the immigration to that country is stopped temporarily there will be terrible suffering.

Louis Sloss, Jr., of the Alaska Commercial company was one of the passengers on the Excelsion. He went to Dawson City for the company and reports that all the good claims are taken un.

There is no chance for the newcomers n'ess a rieh strike is made in some other section. Mr. Sloss says that his company's store at Dawson was closed for but one day, to receive freight from a river steamer. He thinks provisions will be scarce, but hesitates to say there will be actual starving.

There are about 300 impatient miners at St. Michaels, most of whom will have to stay until spring unless they have already secured passage on the river boats. There are plenty of provisions at St. Michaels, and every effort is being made to get supplies up the river to

It is difficult to say how much money was brought down by the Excelsior. The miners are secretive and will give no accurate information. Some of them, it is known, could not bring much and will be glad to go to work down here. The Alaska Commercial company received a large consignment of treasure, but will not say exactly how much. When asked as to the amount, Mr. Sloss said, "We brought more than came down on the Portland, and we did not need any maxim guns to protect it."

St. Michaels Commissioner Arrives. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- The officials of the interior department were much relieved at receiving word that Mr. L. B. Shepperd, the United States commissioner to St. Michaels, Alaska, had arrived at his post and was prepared to take up the business of his office. A government commissioner in a place so remote as St. Michaels practically performs the duties of a federal judge, and the post at St. Michaels has become of exceptional importance since the Klondike discoveries were made. Mr. Shepperd was appointed on the 22d. of July, and while he left St. Michaels immediately afterward nothing had since been heard from him, and some uneasiness was felt. He reported by message, wired from Seattle, that his

Death From a Railway Collision. SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Sept. 16.-As the Erie passenger train was leaving this city at 6:45 o'clock last night, it came into collision with a Delaware and Hudson dummy engine at the Union street grade crossing. Neither train nor engine was going over five miles an hour, and yet the accident resulted in the death of John Balfour, the fireman on the dummy, and the serious injury of Engineer George Shaw of the passenger train. Shaw's leg is badly Balfour was running the dummy at the time, and it is stated that his inexperience was the cause of the accident. Both engines and a bagtage car were badly damaged.

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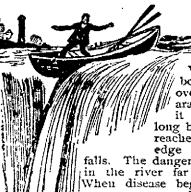
was ready for business.

Narrow Escape of Thirteen Laborers. NEW YORK, Sept. 16 -- So as to make toom for a small public park on the ower east side of this city a number of lenement buildings near the junction of Division street and East Broadway were condemned and ordered torn down While 13 laborers in the employ of Contractor Max Cohen were removing the roof of 176 Division street, a five story structure, at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, it began to shake, They escaped to an adjoining roof just as the tall building collapsed and fell in a h-ap of ruins.

New Drydocks May Be Built. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 .- The navy department is resolved to free itself from responsibility of sending American warships to foreign docks in the future, and to this end the department will recommend to congress that appropriations be made for the construction of at least four new drydocks. It will be suggested that these be located at Boston, League island, Norfolk and Mare island, Cal, and it is hoped that congress will authorize the construction of at least some of stone.

Found Dead In a Ship's Cargo. GLASGOW, Sept. 16 .- During the unloading of the Allan line steamship Towerhill, Captain Brown, from New York Aug. 28, which arrived here on Sept. 10, the body of a young American was found buried deep in grain. It is supposed that the unfortunate man was shot in with the grain when the vessel was being loaded in New York.

Coal Vessels to Be Exempt. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.-The Mexican government has exempted American and other sailing vessels carrying exclusively coal into Mexican ports from tonnage duties.



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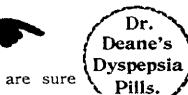
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GENERAL GOBIN EVER ON THE ALERT.

The Question of Arresting the Deputies Will Remain In Abeyance Until the Inquest on the Dead Miners Is Held.

HAZLETON, Fa., Sept. 16 .- A calm pervaded Hazleton and its environs yesterday, and no disturbances were reported. The strikers maintain silence and good order. An extra guard was placed about the company stores at Lattimer in consequence of a current tumor that the foreigners were plotting to blow up the building with dynamite. They have ceased dealing there and are now buying their provender in Hazleton. Some are going so far as to move into the town, and several cartloads of poor household goods were traveling townward over the Lattimer road. For some reason which could not be

earned extra vigilance was maintained at the camp of the Ninth regiment at Hazle park. The guard was strengthened, and not a soldier was permitted to leave camp. The Fourth regiment shifted from Audenreid to Drifton in the afternoon and established camp on the hills. There is no indication of trouble there, but General Gobin means to keep every locality guarded.

Atrangements are under way for a monster mass meeting here on Saturday night, and it is understood that efforts are being made to bring Eugene V. Debs and other prominent labor men

to address it. All the miners in the middle coalfield will be asked to attend, and it is estimated that 25,000 miners will be pres-

General Gobin had heard nothing of the proposed meeting and said he would treat with the emergency when it arose. Another story of the day was that William J. Bryan had been secured as counsel for the prosecution of Sheriff Martin and the deputies. It was scouted by the strike leaders as too absurd to merit consideration.

The arrangements for the prosecution by the Austrian societies, who have taken up the cause, have been brought to a pause by General Gobin's order forbidding the arrests of the prospective defendants. Several meetings were held, but it was finally determined to let the matter rest in abeyance until after Coroner Bowman has held his inquest and reached a verdict. That official has not yet fixed a date for the inquiry, but thinks it will be some time in the early part of next week. Fifty or 60 witnesses will be examined, including Sheriff Martin and a number of his deputies and some of the miners. No matter what the verdict may be the case will be carried into the courts, but no details have been arranged.

The strike conditions have not been materially changed. None of the malcontents manifested any disposition to return to work, and a few more joined their ranks. These were from the Audenried washeries, about 100 in number. So far as can be learned, no plans are under consideration by the strikers looking to a resumption of work.

The 500 men employed at the Beaver Brook colliery of Dodson & Co. met and decided to demand an increase of 10 per cent in wages and the sale of powder at \$2 per keg instead of at \$2.75. If be company refuses, they, too, will the striking army.

Rumors and reports of more or less value continue to agitate brigade headquarters and the various camps. What was set down as a startling dynamite plot has come to the usual lame and impotent conclusion. It flashed in from Cranberry. A local detective gave the information that a quantity of the explosive had been secreted by the miner: there. Two deputies, armed with search warrants and guarded by a detail of cavalry, went over and made a thorough search of eight houses without discovering anything to confirm the The troopers went from suspicions. there to Audenreid, where they visited the eamp of the Twelfth regiment, and then to McAdoo and Beaver Brook to

take a look around. The signal station, perched on the top of a monstrous culm bank at Lattimer made a report which caused some uneasiness. It was to the effect that suspichus lights were seen moving up and down the mountains surrounding Milnesville, giving the appearance of a march or a meeting of miners. Everything in the district was quiet, however, and no further information was obtained. The mysterious lights may have been nothing more terrible than the lanterns of a few night working miners or pumping engineers, but General Gobin made a note of the matter.

The funeral of Clemeno Paltrock another victim of the shooting, occurred in Ctanberry yesterday. The entire village was wrapped in an atmosphere of gloom. The Audenreid drum corps led the line of march, with the Synouri Polish society following. Two carriages containing mourners and about 700 miners were in the line of march. Services were held at the Polish church by Rev. Dr. Aust, and interment followed in th church cemetery.

J. H. Jacobs, an East Broad street baker, is a much frightened man. He has received a letter threatening him with death. It was signed "Committee of Foreign Element" and read to the effect that proof had been secured that he had acted as one of the deputies and that he would be killed the first time he ventured outside the city. The let ter is regarded as a foolish hoax.

More Brokers Fail. NEW YORK, Sept. 16. - Seymour Bros., stock brokers, of 30 Broad street assigned yesterday afternoon at o'clock without preferences. Ex-Jus tice of the Supreme Court Charles Donohue was named as receiver. The firm is composed of Edwin W. Cox, Alen Lewis Seymour and James W. Seymeur, Jr. Mr. Cox lives at Morristown and the Seymours live at East Orange N. J. The men were extensive bidders in stocks, grain and cotton, and it is said their failure was caused by heavy dealing in wheat.

Fifteen-year-old Girl Snieldes. NEW YORK, Sept. 16,-Margaret Mc-Mahon, 15 years old, daughter of a poor man, committed suicide last night by swallowing carbolic acid. She has been in ill health, and worry was probably the cause of her suiciding.

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He-Oh, yes, there is, It's very easy. She-How, I would like to know? He-Just examine the checks he signs.-Detroit Free Press.

A Trathful Saw.

When church is out, and Jack and Jill In linked seclusion stray. It takes them two long, lonely hours To pick their homeward way: And as it's scarcely half a mile, No reason can I find

Why it should take so very long. Except that "love is blind"

TO JUDGE BY APPEARANCES.



Guest-Is this steak broiled? Waiter-Yes, sah. What did think had been done to it, sah?

Guest-I did not know but it had been embalmed.—N. Y. Journal.

There must be some who labor hard Tus old world to exait,

To furnish occupation for
The people who find fault.
—Washington Star.

Sizing Him Up.

First Tramp—Yer say der woman dat gave yer der grub didn't b'lieve ye war a gentleman in reduced circum-

Second Tramp-Dat's what I said. First Tramp—Did she " ll ye so? Second Tramp-No; she brought me a knife ter eat der pie wid.-N. Y.

liow It Happened.

"I can't understand how such a hideous thing as the doctrine of total depravity ever came to be promulgated.

"Well, man was bound to reach some curious conclusions in the effort to account for his neighbors." - Chicago Journal.

A Model Youth.

Rev. Goodman-You are a very noble little fellow, Tommy. Now tell me what deep, underlying principle prompted you to forgive those wicked boys who called you ugly names?

Tommy—They was bigger than me. -Brooklyn Life.

A Powerful Argument.

Her Father-So you wish to marry my daughter?

The Diplomat-Yes-but a dearer wish of mine is to comfort your own declining years. Her Father-Say no more. You'll do.

-N. Y. Journal.

Providing Them Practice. Keedick-How wonderful are the ways of nature.

Fosdick-In what respect? Keedick-It brings along the green apple season just when the young doctors are being graduated.-Judge.

Struck by the Old Man. Van Clove-Was Tedere Thoughtless much impressed with Miss Vanderwhack when he called on her last night? De Caverly-I don't know about that,

but I understand he was much struck

by her old man.-Town Topics. Fresh Allowance Seeded. "I suppose you keep track of your running expenses, my son?"

"Oh, yes, father. The wrong horse won every race this week."-Detroit Free Press.

They Ought To Be. "They seem to be interested in each

"They are. He is waiting for her husband to die and she is waiting for him to get a divorce."-Harlem Life.

Breaking It Gradually.

Howso-Slobs is a kind-hearted man. Cumso-Why? Howso-When his wife's pet poodle died he got a friend who stuttered to

break the news to her.-N. Y. World. An indignity.

"What's the colonel so tearing mad ibont, doctor?" "I gave him some medicine to be

taken three times a day in half a glass

of water."-Detroit Free Press. A Choice of Boutes.

She-Yes, Mr. Detrop has dropped out of my life forever. He-Elevator or coal hole?-Chicago Record.

In the Conservatory. "You are my ideal: won't you be my

"I prefer to remain your ideal."-Brooklyn Life.

The Height of Cruelty. "Cruel, heartless woman!" cried Lord Cashibroke. "You told me you loved me, and fet I discover that your father | Said by 's a bankrupt!"--Tit-Rite.

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BUXES For the information of our readers, we publish below a complete list of the numbers and loca-tions of all the fire starm boxes in this city:

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35—High and Hanford streets.
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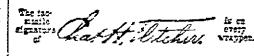
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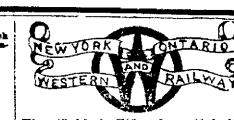


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Dated March 22nd, 1897.

LEWIS H EVERETT, administrator,
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SCHOOL AND TEACHERS. Rev. Dr. D. F. Bonner, the judge in this

class, attached to his entry book: "As there is no competition I do not feel like awarding a premium. I feel that Mrs. Dusinberre deserves commendation for forwarding the exhibit all the more

because this is not her first exhibit. "Her exhibit of school work is meritorious as indicating attempts to interest her pupils in their work aside from mere text book study, and as indicating success in the effort."

DECORATED CHINA, ETC.

Designs on china flowers, Florence Horton, 1; Mrs. Preston Grant, 2; must designs, Antomette Sayer, 1 and 2; designs on figures, Antoinette Sayer, 1; Mrs. reston Grant, 2; paste work on china, Florence Horton; after dinner coffees, Alice E. Hopkius, 1; bonbon dish, Caroline C. Wood, 1; Alice E. Hopkins, 2; candle stick, Mrs. F. W. Towner, 1; china clock, Mrs. F. W. Towner, 1; comb and brush tray, Antoniette Sayer, 1; Caroline C. Wood, 2; cream jng, Caroline C. Wood, 1; cups and saucers, Caroline C. Wood, 1; five o'clock tea set, Mrs. F. W. Towner, 1; photograph frame, Antoinette Sayer, 1; Miss Maud McElory, 2; pin tray, Caroline C. Wood, 1; punch bowl, Mrs. F. W. Towner, 1; puff box, Florence Horton, 1; Caroline E. Wood, 2; vase, Florence Horton, 1; painting on china or other articles, fruit platter, Caroline C. Wood, 1; handkerchief box, Caroline C. Wood, 1; painting on china, Mrs. Preston Grant, 1; celery dish, Alice Hopkins, L; also on pitcher; tete a tete tray, S. L. Coates, 1; rose bowl, Antionette Sayer 1; fruit platter, Mrs. F. W. Towner, 2.

COVERS, CURTAINS AND LAMBREQUINS.

Silk embroidered table cover, Mrs. G. N. Clemson, 1; Miss L. C. Wells, 2; woven curtain, Mrs. F. W. Towner, 1; Ida M. Owen, 2: serm crochetted curtain, Mrs. F. W. Towner, 1: macrame lambrequins. Miss Clara Dusenberry, 1; Mrs. F. W. Towner. 2; bureau scarl, Mrs. J. D. Powers, 1; Mrs. W. J. Comfort, 2.

QUILTS. SPREADS, ETC.

Afghan carriage, Mand McElroy, 1; embroidered counterpane, Miss Clara Dusenberry, 1; Mrs. F. W. Towner, 2; counterpane, Autoinette Sayer 1; Mrs. T. F. Walsh, 2; home made linen and wool counterpane, Miss L. C. Pudney, 1; home made carriage robe, Mrs. Ellsworth Smith, 1; plush slumber robe, Mrs. Geo. Miller, 1: Mrs. M. B. Pitts, 2; cheese cloth comfortable, Mrs. F. W. Towner; quilt, Mrs. F. W. Towner, special prize; Miss Lettie A. Duryea, 1; Mrs. L. E. Hedges, 2; pieced silk quilt, Mrs. Wm. Millspaugh, 1; Miss Annie Worcester, 2: worsted pieced quilt, Mrs. Percie F. Norris, 1; Mrs. H. Wollenhaupt, 2; crazy silk bed quilt, Mrs. E. G. Crist, silk bed quilt, Mrs. E. 1; Mrs. Sarah A. Sawyer 2; white quilt, Mrs. Susie !'. Reed, 1; crib Sawyer 2; 1: Mrs. worsted quilt silk. Mrs. J. E. Loud, 1; other quilts, Miss Belle C. Redfield, 1: Mrs. Ira S. Clauson, 2; Miss Mamie Kellam, special; crochetted bed spreads, Mrs. A. E. Rockafellow, 1; H. O. Veltman, 2: darned net bed spread, F. E. Morris, 1; outlined bed spread, Miss Percie F. Norris, 1: knit bed spread, Cora home spun carpet coverlid, W. Mackay, 2; old fashioned coverlid, 100 years old. Mrs. Theron Sinsabaugh, spe-

LADIES' MISCULDANCOUS.

Special premiums were awarded as fol-

lows: Napkin rings, Mrs. J. C. Hawkins; pecimen of Bulgarian work, Mrs. De-Witt C. Wickham; case antique clima, Mrs. B. B. Williams; glove mender, holder, Mrs. E. G. Crist; miniature parlor suit, Miss Percie F. Norris; stamp table, Saidie Kniffin; canned goods and flour, C. N. Predmore & Son; doyley book, Mrs. A. H. Corwin: kuitted socks, Mrs. A. H. Corwin: embroidered frame, S. H. Talrag portiere, Mrs. Geo. Miller; system dress cutting, Mrs. H. Wilbur, New York, 'ningts' robe, Mrs. W. P. Thompson; hand made embroidered gown, made in India by men, Mrs. B. B. Williams, honorable mentions two cut glass rangs, one Victora vase, some exhibitor.

KNICTING AND CROCHECING. Crochetted Cape-Deba P. Kelsev, 2. Knit Cape-Ctarlotte Towner, 1. Knit Cepe-Mann Kellan, special, Crachetted Fascinator-Miss V. E. Rockatellow, 2. Crochetted Hood-Annie Ferguson, speeral, Miss Anna C. Towner, T. Two Dolls, set-Mrs. Anna Perguson, special, Cotton Hose-Mrs. C. A. Knapp, 1, Mrs. W. J. Comfort, 2. Silk Hose—Mrs. F. W. Towner, special Wooden Hose—Jennie Alice Miller and Mrs. C. A. Knapp, 1. Mrs. W. J. Comfort, 2. Child's Mittens -Anno C Turner and Mrs. J. E. Lond. Silk Mittens-Mrs. L. L. Bell, 1; Mrs. F. W. Towner, 2. Woolen Mittens, crohetted--Miss A. E. Rockatellow, 2 Wollen Mittens, knit-Mrs. J. W. Comfort, 1; Jennie Alice Miller and Mrs. C. A. Knupp, 2. Crochetted Sack, child's—Miss Sarah William , 1. Shawl Grochetted—Mrs. Marion B. Pitts, special; Delia P. Kelsey, special. Skirt Crochelted-Miss Mamie Kellam, special: Miss Sarah Williams, 1, Mrs. M. B. Pitts, 2. Knit Skirt-Miss L. Wells, special.

I LOWERS-AMATEUR.

Toliage plants-Miss Anna C. Turner, 1, Mrs. Grace M. Mapes, 2. Begonias-Florence Horton, 1. Ferus-Florence Horton, 2 Germinms-Mrs. 1. Powell. 1 Hydrangens-Mrs. A. Powell, 1. Lakes-Mrs.A. Powell, 2. Palms-Florence Horton, 2 Petunias-Mrs. A. Powell, 1. Pinks-Mrs. Powell, 2. Collection of cut flowers-Mrs. Sarah Williams. I Mrs. A Powell, 2. Ornamental arcangement-Mrs. M. B. Decker, A; Miss. Anna C. Turner, 2. Bouquetes—Miss Sarah Williams, 1; Ves. A. Powell, 2. Douguet wild flowers-Mrs. Ellsworth Smith I. Mrs. M. B. Decker, 2. Wreath of flowers Mrs. M. B. Decker, 1; Mrs. Sarah Williams, 2. Basket of flowers-Mrs. M. B. Decker, 1, Miss. Sarah Winiams, 2. Astors, cut-Mrs. F. M. Newkirk 1; Florence Horton, 2; 1: J. E. Benedict, 2. Pumpkin Russet. —Asst. Sect. Eager called at the Argus Mrs. A. Poweil, 2. Dahlias—J. W. I. Minturn, 1. Roxbury Russet, W. I. office, Wednesday night, with R. G.

Board, 1; Mrs. M. Decker, 2. Everlasting flowers, cut-Miss Decker, 2. Everlasting flowers, cut—Miss Sarah Williams, 1; Mrs. A. Powell, 2. Gladiolus—J. E. Board, 1; Mrs. M. B. Decker, 2. Pansies, cut—Sarah Williams, 1; Mrs. M. B. Decker, 2. Phloxes—Sarah Williams, 1; Mrs. Powell, 2. Sweet pens. cut—Miss L. C. Wells, 1; Mrs. A. Powell, 2. Zennias—J. E. Board, 1; Mrs. F. W. Towner, 2. Nasturtium—Miss L. C. Wells, 1; Mrs. A. Powell, 2. Miss L. C. Wells, 1; Mrs. A. Powell, 2. Fig tree—Sarah Penney, special. Collection cultivated grasses. Mrs. A. Powell.

PROFESSIONAL FLOWERS.

Flowering potted plants, George S. Belding, 2; same exhibitor, foliage plants. 1; begonias, 1; ferns, 1; geraniums, 2; palms, 1; collection of cut flowers, 1; ornamental arrangement, 1; bouquet, 1; bouquet wild flowers, 2: wreath of flowers. 1: basket of flowers, 2; asters, 2; dahlias, 2; gladioius, 1; pinks, 1; roses, 1: petunias, 1. Emil Richards. cox-combs, 1: hydrangeas, 2; two specimens ferns, 1; three specimens ferns, 1; collection of selaginella, 1: three specimens of asparagus sprengere, 1; two specimens pandanus veitchi, 1; six specimens cyperus or umbrella plant, 1; three specimens tolinge plants, 2; six specimens grevillea robusta, 2; four arancaria excelsior.

TIDIES, LACES, ETC.

Antoinette Sayer, embroidered initials, 1: lace honiton, Annie Gildersleeve, 1; Mrs. F. W. Towner, 2; point lace, Annie Gildersleeve, 1; Mrs. J. D. Powers, 2; lace fichu, Mrs. J. D. Powers; knitted lace ties, Mrs. W. J. Comfort; three pieces lace, Addie A. Wright, 1; knit lace, Mrs. A. Powell, 1; lace Battenberg, F. E. Morris; crochetted lace, Miss Maud McElroy, 2; four pieces Battenberg, De-Witt C. Wickham, 2; lace, Mrs. W. J. Comfort, 2; tidy canvas, Mrs. Lettie A. Duryea; cotton tidy, Anna C. Turner, 1; Jennie Alice Miller, 2; lace tidy.Charlotte Towner, 1: Mrs. W. J. Com ort, 2; silk tidy, Mrs. E. G. Crist, 1; Mrs. T. F. Walsh, 2; tidy scrim, Miss Clara Dusenberry, 1: Mrs. T. F. Walsh, 2; bolting tidy, Mrs. B. B. Williams, 1; huen tidy, Ida M. Owen, 2; table mats, Mrs. E. W Towner, 1; Mrs. W. H. Tannery; fancy mats, Delia P. Kelsey, 1; Mrs. Cornelius Macardell Jr.; tatting trimming, Miss Sarah E. Williams, 1; Miss M. E. Black,

PILLOW SHAMS, APRONS, ETC.

Embroidered apron, Annie C. Turner, 1; Maud McElroy, 2; fancy sewing apron, Miss Maud McElroy, 1; Mrs. Geo. S. Belding, 2: kitchen aprons, Mrs. J. E. Lond, 1; Mrs. Ellsworth Smith, 2; apron, drawn work. Mrs. L. L. Bell, 2; embroidered collar, Mrs. J. D. Powers, 2; lace collars, Mrs. B. B. Williams, 1; point lace collars and cuffs, P. E. Norris, 1: Mrs. J. D. Powers, 2; antique lace collar, Mrs. A. Powell, 2; collar tatting, Miss Sarah Williams, 1; Mrs. M. B. Decker, 2; collars, other kinds, Miss E. Rockafellon, 2; ambandanced specific Miss St. C. Rockafellon, 2; ambandanced sp fellow. 2: embroidered cushion, Miss Belle C. Redfield, 2; silk sofa cushion, Mrs. B. B. Williams, 1; fancy toilet cushion, Miss Mand McElroy, 1; Mrs. J. D. Powers., 2; tufted toilet cushion, Mrs. W. J. Comfort; childs dress, knit lace, Mrs. C. A. Knapp; pillow shams, Miss A. E. Rockafellow, 1; Annie Gildersleeve, 2; darned net, pillow shams, P. E. Norris, 1; embroidered pillow shams, J. white quilt, Mrs. Susie !'. Reed, 1; crib D. Powers; lace pillow shams, Mrs. crazy quilt, Mrs. W. J. Comfort, 1; silk crib quilt, Mrs. Ellsworth Smith. 1; stitched, Mrs. C. A. Knapp; crochetted worsted quilt silk. Mrs. J. E. Loud, 1; slippers. Jennie Alice Miller, 1; Maud other quilts, Miss Belle C. Redfield, 1: McElroy, 2; kuit slippers, Ida M. Owen, 1: Charotte Towner, 2.

GRAIN AND SEED.

1. Brown corn-A. Sweet, 1; Mrs. A. 1. Winter Nellis-A. Sweet, 1. Powell, 2. Coru on ear—Chas. E. Mapes, Mapes, 1: kmt crib spread, Grace M. I. Pop corn—U. H. Mastin, 1. Twelve Mapes, 1: Mrs. C. A. Knapp, 2: linen ears rice corn—J. H. Morrison, 2. Seed worked bed spread, 1da M. Owen, 1: flax—C. H. Mastin, 1; garden seeds, C. home spun carpet coverlid, W. W. H. Mastin, 1; Mrs. J. E. Loud, flax—C. H. Mastin, 1; garden seeds, C. H. Mastin, 1; Mrs. J. E. Loud, 2. Hungarian seed—C. H. Mastin, 2. Sweet corn - Emil Richard, 1; Gray Bros., 2. Henderson Sugar corn (Early) Columbus)-T. L. Manes, 1. Mammoth sugar-Mrs. Sidney Smith, 1. Country gentleman—Mrs. Ellsworth Smith, 2. Stowell's Evergreen—J. H. Morrison. 1. Evergreen, Emil Richards, 2: also

Country Gentlemen, 1. Mammoth, 2. Corn on stalk—Emil Richards, 1; W. G. Ural, 2. Millet—German, 1; Hungarian, Charlotte Towner; embroidered silk 1, Houston Bros., Golden, C. H. Mastin, holder, Mrs. E. G. Crist; miniature parlor 1. White oats—W. W. Mackay. Golden Prolifie, 1. E. P. Smith, No. 6, 1; Mrs. Ellsworth Smith, 2. Rye, White Prohile-W. W. Mackay, 1: Chas. E. Mapes, 2. Seed clover-Red, 1; Alsyke, 2; Alfalfa, 1; Crimson, 2, Houston Bros. C. H. Mastin, cott, lace trimmed, hom-stitched handker-chief, Mrs. Cornelius Macardell, Jr; silk Ahalm, 2.

Not less than 100 varieties, five of each -L. C. Andrews, 1. Not less than 50 varieties, rive of each—J. M. Van Alst. 1. Ten varieties, five of each-L. C. Andrews. 1: Robert Carr, 2. Autumn Bough-L. C. Andrews, 1. Baldwins-L. C. Andrews, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2. Belleflenr-J. M. Van Alst, 1, L. C. Andrews, 2, Ben Davis-L. C. Andrews, I; J. M. Van Alst, 2. Canada Red-J. M. Van Alst, 1. Cheo ago Strawberry-L. C. Andrews, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2. Cooper's Market-Fred Houston, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2. Detriot-L. C. Andrews, I. J. M. Van Alst, 2. Dominie-L. C. Andrews, I; J. M. Van Aist, 2. Dutchess of Oldenburgh-L. C. Andrews, I. J. M. Van Alst, 2. Pallawater — W. L. Minturn, 1; L. C. Andrews, 2. Vall-Jennetting—Fred Houston, 1: L. C. Andrews, 2. Farmense -J. M. Van Alst, 1; L. C. Andrews, 2, Gilliflower-A Sweet, 1; J. Efford Benediet, 2. Gloria Mundi—W. L. Minturn, 1. Gravenstein—Chas. E. Mapes, J. J. E. Benediet, 2. Hubbardson Nonesuch—J. H. Morrison, 1; L. C. Andrews, 2.—Jonathan-L. C. Andrews, 1. King of Tompkins-L. C. Andrews, I; Fred Houston, 2. Lady-J. M. Van Alst, 1; L. C. Andrews, 2. Maiden's Blush-J. M. Van Mst. 1; Fred Houston, 2. Mother, W. L. Minturn, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2, Mouse-J. M. Van Alst, 1; L. C. Andrews, 2; Northern Spy—L. C. Andrews, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2; Ohio Nonpareil—W. L. Minturn, 1, Fred Houston, 2. Peck's Pleasant-J. M. Van Alst. 1. Autumn Pearmain-L. C. Andrews, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2. Winter Pearmain-J. M. Van Alst, 1. L. C. Andrews, 2. Pippin Blenhem-L. C. Andrews, L. J. M. Van Alst, 2. Pippin, Grames' Golden-J. M. Van Alst, I. L. C. Andrews, 2. Pippin Falls— L. C. Andrews, 1. J. M. Van Alst, 2. Newtown Pippin—J. M. Van Alst, 1:L. C. Andrews, 2. Pippin, other varieties—Republican, J. M. Van Alst, 1: Nyack, J. M. Van Alst, 2: Rambo, J. M. Van Alst, 1. Fred Houston, 2. Ransom, J. M. Van

Alst, 1; L. C. Andrews, 2. Rhode Island

Greening, L. C. Andrews, 1; J. M. Van

Alst, 2. Golden Russet, Fred Houston.

Minturn, 1; L. C. Andrews, 2. Sweet Russet, J. M. Van Alst, 1. Schoonmaker, L. C. Andrews, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2. Seek-no-further, L. C. Andrews, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2. Smoke House—L. C. Andrews, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2. St. Lawrence-Fred Houston, 1; A. Sweet, 2. Sweet Bailey's — Chester Belding, 1. Sweet Bough—J. M. Van Alst, 1. Sweet Danyers—J. M. Van Alst, 1. Sweet Golden—J. M. Van Alst, 1. Sweet Hog Island—L. C. Andrews, 1: Fred Houston, 2. Sweet Jersey-Fred Houston, 1; L. Audrews, 2. Sweet Peach Pond-J. M. Van Alst. 1; L. C. Andrews, 2. Sweet Pound-R. Carr, 1: J. M. Vau Alst, 2. Sweeting ladies -W. I. Minturn, 1: L. C. Andrews, 2. Tallman Sweeting, Fred Houston, 1; J. E. Benedict, 2. Spitzenberg Esopus-L. C. Andrews.

J. M. VanAlst, 2. Spiczenberg Flushing -L. C. Andrews, 1. Swaar-L. C. Andrews, 1; J. M. VanAlst, 2. Twentyounce-Fred Houston, 1; A. Sweet, 2. Vandervere—Fred Houston, 1; L. C. Andrews, 2. Wagener—Fred Houston, 1. Willow Twig—J. M. VanAlst, 1; L. C. Andrews, 2. Weilthy—L. C. Andrews, 1. Collection of Crab Apples-L. C. Andrews, 1; John H. Morrison, 2. Ten crab apples—Siberian, John H. Morrison, 1. Red Siberian—L. C. Andrews, 2. Apples, other varieties—J. M. Van Alst received a first on Pomme Royal, second on Lacy, and L. C. Andrews received

first on American Blush, Fishkill Beauty, Pewaukee, Astrachan, Canada Renette, Pheonix, and a second on Pewaukee. H. C. Hall, first on Strawberry Sweeting, John H. Morrison, 1st on Rockefellows. Fred Houston, Egg Top, 1; J. E. Benedict, Snow Fake, 1. GRAPES, PEACHES AND QUINCES.

C. C. Corby received premiums: Grapes, not less than 8 varieties, 3 bunches of each—Alice, Armema, Barry, Bacchus, Brighton, Brilliant, Catawba, Concord, Diana, Duchess, Eumelan. Green Mountain, Gæthe. Hartford Prolific, Lady Washington, Lindley, Massasoit, Moore's Diamond. Moore's Early. Noah, Niagara, Pocklington. Prentiss, Rogers 19, Woodruff Red, Worden, Cambridge, Elsenberg, Esther, Herbert, Highland, Irving, Naomi, Oriental, Rogers, Elvira, Wyoming, Essex, Downing, Rogers 33, Norton's Virginia, first premiums, and the following seconds: Agawam, Brilliaut, Delaware, Empire State, Iona, Isabella, Jefferson, Lady, Martha, Moore's Diamond, Poughkeepsie Red, Rebecca, Salem, Telegraph. Amber Queen, Black Eagle, Norfolk, Norwood, Rogers 34, Secretary,

Waverly. W. R. Brown won first prizes as follows: Grapes, 10 varieties, 5 bunches of each-Agawam, Delaware, Empire State, Isabella, Peabody, Poughkeepsie Red, Ulster Prolific, Brown's Smedling, and the following seconds: Brighton, Concord, Niagaras.

Other winners were: Emil Richard, Duchess, 2: Moore's, 1: Ulster Prolifics, 2; Worden, 2.

PEARS. Ten varieties, 5 each-J. M. Van Alsr. Montgomery, Anjou, 1; Chester Belding, 2. Bartlett-J. M. Van Alst, 1: L. C. Andrews, Montgomery, 2. Bosc-L. C. Andrews, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2. Buffum Andrews, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2. Buffum—L. C. Andrews, 1; Chester Belding, Middletown, 2. Clapp's Favorite—J. M. Van Alst, 1. Duchesse d' Angouleme—Chester Belding, 1. Howell—W. P. Clark, Washingtonville, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2. Keiffer's Hybrid—H. C. Hall, Ridgebury, Harry, Prop. Henry, Prop. 2. Louise Bonne de Jersey-Fred Houston. Bellvale, 1. Onondaga-J. Efford Benedict, Bellvale, 1. Seckel-H. C. Hall, Ridgebury, 1; J. M. Van Alst, 2; Miss L. C. Wells, Chester, special. Sheldon-Miss Beans-White Kidney-C. H. Mastin, 2d. Vicar of Wakefield-J. E. Benedict,

> PLUMS. Burbank-Chas. E. Mapes, Howells, 1. Coe's Golden Drop-E. G. Fowler, 1. Bine Gage-L. C. Andrews, 2. Green Gage-J. M. Var. Alst, 1. Imperial Gage -E. G. Fowler, 1. Lombard-Fred Houston, 1. German Prune - Fred

Houston, 1. FANCY WORK.

Satchel bag, Miss Lettie A. Daryea, 1 card basket. Miss Laura O. Horton, 1 broom holder, Mrs. M. G. Morrison, 1; Charlotte Towner, 2; paper handker-chief box, Mrs. C. A. Knapp 1; handker-chief box, Mrs. R. W. Chamberlain, 1; Clara Dusenberry, 2; paper glove case Mrs. C. A. Knapp, 2: embroidered veil case, Mrs. E. G. Crist, 1; watch case, Mrs. W. J. Comfort, 1; Miss Mand McElroy, 2: embroidered picture frame, Annie Gildersleeve, 1: paper flowers, Clara cross, which is supposed to mark the Dascaberry 1: Mrs. C. A. Knapp, 2: central point of England. paper lamp shades. Delia P. Kelsey, 1: Mrs. C. A. Knapp, 2, paper, shaving ball Chira Dusenberry, 1 = silk purse, Mrs. - E. G. Crist, 1; Mrs. L. L. Bell. 2; case for Guides Who Led the King of Siam small photos, Mrs Grace M. Mapes, 1: About London Had Trouble. handkerchief bag, M. J. Motrison, 1; The king of Siam has proved himself picture frame, Laura O. Horton 2. to be familiar with English history. He

HOUSE FURNISHING. Washing machines - Moses Vail. '1900," 1; Spooner & Ayres, 2. Glassware-B. S. Dayton, 1. Crockery-C. E. Crawford, 1; B. S. Dayton, 2.

SORKENTO WORK Trelaying, chair-B. B. Williams, 1, Mrs. W. H. Tannery, 2. Table inlaid, Mrs. B. B. Williams, 1. Picture trame, S. L. Coates, 1.

FURNITURE.

C. F. Crawford-Display general furniture, 1; parlor suit, 1; center table, 1; chamber sut, 1; dining table, 1; hatrack, 2: Rival sewing machine, special, carpets, 1; curtains, 1; hatrack, Robshaw Bros., special; Singer Mig. Co., sewing machine, 1; J. E. Davis, White center table, 1.

TAXIDERMIST WORK.

Hend of fur seal-D. E. Luin, 1. Two special prizes to Jacob Gunther's exhibits.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Houston Bros., display of Horse and Cattle Powders, 1. Chester Belding, bees, 1. Model of Colonia, W. H. Beers, 1. Pea Fowl, Mrs. M. B. Decker, 1, and a number of exhibits were awarded honorable mention. McMonagle & Rogers, crude ! Charles the First. He was disappointed drugs, I; toilet preparations, I; spices, to learn that Charles was buried at 1; and a number of diplomas and honorable mentions. Wood & Horton, feed. bronze medal.

Miss M. E. Black, plain needle work, 1 ornamental needle work, 1: hand-made underwear, 1. Mrs. Mary E. Garrison, | shocked his guides by inquiring with hand-made skirt, I. Hand-made underwear, Frank Harvey, 2; Miss M. E. Black, special. Machine made underwear, Mrs. F. W. Towner, I; Mrs W. J. Comfort, 2. Hand embroidered night dress, Mrs. W. J. Comfort, 1.

-Aset, Sect. Eager called at the Argus

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Armstrong and T. W. Townsend. The former had the celebrated dog Ornament, \$8,000, owned by Pierpont Morgan. The animal is the finest collie on exhibition.

-Secretary Morrison is the father of Children's Day at fairs. He introduced it in Orange county, and it has since been copied by other fairs.

-J. Laird, of West Newburgh, has 36 dogs exhibited, the largest exhibit on the grounds. Among them is a litter of six pups.

-Mrs. E. G. Crist's friends are doubtless proud of her success as a prize winner. She took first or second for nearly

everything she entered. -William Burke has a fine display of apple brandy, ranging from one to five years old. John Wilkin is in charge.

-Emil Richards, who won so many premiums in various departments, is President Denniston's very capable gardener.

-The calvacade of horses will start to-morrow, at 1 o'clock sharp, instead of 1:30.

-A large number of female patients from the State Hospital visited the grounds, this afternoon. -The Wallkili Hat Works shut down.

to-day, to give its employes an opportunity to attend the fair.

ENGLISH ODDITIES.

A Township Which Has Only One Resident.

Undoubtedly the most extraordinary township in England is that of Skiddaw, in Cumberland. It contains but one house, the occupier of which is unable to exercise the Briton's privilege of voting because there is no overseer to prepare a voters' list and no church or other place of worship or assembly on which to publish one, says Pearson's

The most remote village in England is that of Farley-cum-Pitton. This truly rural spot is 301/2 miles from the nearest railway station. As a contrast to this may be mentioned the hamlet of Ystrad, about ten miles from Cardiff. This tiny settlement possesses two important main roads, two railways and two large rivers.

A very unique feature is exclusively claimed by Trimley, a small village in Suffolk. In the one churchyard of the parish two churches are to be seen. Service is conducted three times a week in each of these churches at the same hour.

The deepest well in England is found at Hamilton, in Hampshire. It stretches 350 feet below the surface of the earth. About half-way down this well shaftis a subway, three miles in length, which leads to the scacoast.

On the top of the parish church tower in Bicknoller. Somersetshire, is a yew tree, now five feet high and still growing in a hardy fashion. It is generally believed that the tree owes its origin to a seed dropped by a bird.

Perhaps the most splendily decorated church in the kingdom is that of Whitley Court, Worcestershire. It is entirely constructed of white marble, the pews are chastely carved and the pulpit is of genuine Carrara marble, richly paneled with precious stones.

On the village green at Meriden, in Warwickshire, there is a large stone

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to be familiar with English history. He has not passed a regular examination, but has shown himself acquainted with the occupants of the tombs in Westminster Abbey, which is about the same, says the New York Journal. The king was shown about England's Valhalla by Canon Wilberforce. He coldly passed by the statues of Pitt, Livingstone and Herschel in the nave, but paused before that of Darwin. "Darwin, great man, I know him," he remarked. The helmet worn by Henry V. at Agincourt was shown him. He looked at it carefully and inquired its He seemed surprised when weight. told that it weighed nine pounds, twelve ounces. When shown the flags of the knights of the bath, he asked for the sewing machine, 2; rag carpets, Mrs. knights of the bath, he asked for the Sidney Smith, special; C. E. Crawford, duke of Wellington's. Queen Elizabeth's tomb impressed him greatly. All of a sudden he said: "Where is Mary?" No

one knew exactly what he meant. Then

he went on: "Mary-Mary, queen of

Scots."

"She was beheaded," he added. This ircumstance seemed to impress him, for in a moment he said: "Where is the other?" Soon it was understood that decapitation was the connecting link and that he wished to see the tomb of Windsor. In the Poet's Corner Tennyson and Scott received most of his attention. At St. Paul's he was shown the memorial of Gen. Gordon, but great sincerity: "Who was Gen. Gordon?" "Oh, he was a man very well known in the east," was the only answer thought necessary. Altogether Chulalongkorn showed himself to be a pretty fair historian, but better

posted in ancient than modern events

Hendacke bad? Get Miles Fata Pilla.

BATTLE BETWEEN SNAKES.

Anaconda and Bon Fight to a Finish

and Nearly Kill a Woman. A battle royal between two large snakes and an attempt on the part of the surviving reptile to count a woman among its victims were the cause of a great deal of excitement at New York the other afternoon, says the New York Journal.

The two enakes were a ten-foot anaconda and an 81/2-foot cross between a python and a box constrictor. They were put into a box together. Suddenly there was a commotion on the inside of the box that brought over Miss Madeline, to whom they belonged, in a hurry. She found the two snakes intertwined so that it was hard to tell which was which. The anaconda was making framtic efforts to get the boa's head into its wide-open jaws, and the bua, on the other hand, was contracting its muscles around the body of the

Miss Madeline made a quick dive into the box through the glass lid, which had been broken in the melee, and seized the boa at the back of its head with one hand, while with the other she clutched the anaconda in the same spot. With all her might she began tugging away, but to no purpose. The snakes then wound themselves around her body. During the struggle one of the woman's hands slipped, and quick as a flash the boa turned and bit her band, making a deep flesh wound.

enemy with strength born of despair.

Miss Madeline dropped the snakes then in a hurry. The anaconda twisted itself with renewed vigor around the boa's body, and with a spasmodic, sudden jerk finally succeeded in breaking its enemy's back. It was caught and out back into the box after much diffi-

Field Glass Range Finder.

An improved range finder for field glasses has a flat dial plate, subdivided to correspond with the focus of the glasses, rigidly attached to the rear end of the adjusting screw; a fixed pointer secured near the screw to the frame of the glasses, indicating the adjustment upon a dial. A small wheel upon the adjusting screw turns it so that it will readily focus the glasses for various distances, and enabling the user to also estimate correctly the speed of advancing or withdrawing objects.

Another Fallacious Quotation. Mrs. Skinner (talking about the stock market)-I tell you what, Mr. Star-

boarder, "there's nothing like leather." Mr. Starboarder (vainly sawing)-Oh! yes, there is-this steak, for instance!--Puck.

A Pleasant Time.

Miss De Fashion-Did you have a pleasant time this summer?

Miss De Style-Perfectly lovely. We moved around so much I didn't have to be seen in the same dress twice.-Yellow Book

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